



Local and Personal



The Meteor.

A flash, a flame, a trail of fire
Across the Southern sky—
An earthquake or a hurricane—
A whirlwind passing by.

In terror and astonishment
The people held their breath,
And wondered if the world would end
And they meet sudden death.

Within the air, from earth to sky,
A wreath of smoke was seen,
One end was mellowed in the blue
The other on the green of spreading plain.

The wonder grew,
The mystery was great,
Until a wagon came to stop
Within the city gate.

The driver then with pride displayed
The cause of their alarm,
For on the plain, he found the thing,
A meteor still warm.

The Tucumcari Savings Bank
Trust Company will show
To those who doubt, to what strange thing,
A little star may grow.
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and Foreign Countries.

A. D. Goldenberg is in New York buying fall and winter merchandise.

Mrs. Fannie Wiley of Perry, N. M., is visiting her sister here, Mrs. W. L. Darsey.

Ed Hancock and family are visiting relatives in Shawnee, Okla., for a couple of weeks.

F. X. Addleman of Winnipeg, Canada, is here for the purpose of going into the real estate business.

L. E. Taylor has leased the Jno. F. Seaman property on Main street and will put in a stock of electrical supplies.

A Smith of the firm of Smith & Co., has returned from New York and Boston where he went to buy merchandise.

Dr. C. J. K. Moore has returned from Oklahoma where he has been for two weeks winding up his business affairs preparatory to making Tucumcari his permanent home.

The Woman's Home Mission Society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. J. W. Penn on next Thursday afternoon, promptly at 3 o'clock.

J. W. Siner of Quay brought in a pumpkin this week that weighs sixty-four pounds and measures 5 feet and 5 inches in circumference. It may be seen at this office.

Elwood Heman, son of Col. Theo. W. Heman of this city, who now resides in Atlanta, Ga., is coming to Tucumcari and will be interested in business with his father. He is expected in about two weeks.

A. B. Dauber is visiting home folks in Topeka.

F. M. Salyers is building two 28-foot buildings in the Southwestern Addition.

Herman Perlstein has purchased a residence from S. C. Pandolfo which he will fit up for a home.

W. A. Jackson, the real estate man, made a hurry-up business trip to Amarillo this week.

The Eagle Cornice Works is putting in a small foundry in connection with its present business.

The Family theater is moving its tents to the corner of Second and Center streets on the La Marr property.

Everything pertaining to the Fair is getting under way, and the outlook for a good one is very flattering.

The wool scouring plant is closing its season's run now in a few days and the machinery will be moved and the building used for a laundry and ice factory.

The building being erected by Jones & Franklin on Smith street is nearing completion and they intend to build another the same size and a rooming house or offices over both.

Rev. W. C. Mitchell will hold a service in Tucumcari on Saturday night, September the 28th, to which every one is invited. Those having any questions to ask concerning the Bible and its doctrines are especially invited.

A. R. Davis, of Tucumcari, arrived Monday to take up his duties as night operator at the depot. He was accompanied by his wife and children. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will be a welcome addition to our social circle.—Roy Spanish-American.

E. B. Hume of Richmond, Ky., manager of one of the biggest distilleries in the state, has been a Tucumcari visitor this week, and is not only surprised but greatly pleased with Tucumcari. He will likely make heavy investments in city property.

Colonel T. W. Heman returned Sunday morning from attending the annual reunion of the G. A. R. which this year convened at Saratoga, N. Y. Grenadiers were chosen, from all the states, who will be expected to perform the duties the name implies at the next national encampment. This honor for New Mexico was given him.

Norman Darsey, the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Darsey died on the 22nd inst. and the remains were laid to rest in the Tucumcari cemetery Monday afternoon at 4:30. The heart broken parents have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.



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MISS BELLE HAMBURGER.

Whose engagement to Mr. Herman Perlstein of this City was announced early in September.

The announcement for the marriage of Herman Perlstein, the popular young merchant of this city, to Miss Hamburger of St. Louis, has been received by this paper, and it is with pleasure that we give this information to the public generally. Mr. Perlstein is among the pioneers of Tucumcari business men, and with them has made a comfortable fortune in this rapidly developing community. His friends will be pleased to learn that he is now going to share it with a prominent young woman of St. Louis, Mo. Miss Hamburger is the daughter of a wealthy St. Louis merchant, he being a member of the firm of Hamburger Brothers Shoe Manufacturing Co. The marriage will take place in January. This paper congratulates Mr. Perlstein on his decision to enter the matrimonial field, and believes it would be well for other Tucumcari bachelors to depart from their confirmed single selfishness.

The Odd Fellows Lodge, recently organized here is growing as fast as new members can be initiated. We should reach fifty by January 1, 1908.

J. B. Lucas has purchased the Ed Ellis transfer and as he has had several years' experience in the business will give Tucumcari business men the very best service possible.

There are more farmers in town today than probably have ever assembled in the city at one time before. The occasion is the premiums offered by the business men for their various farm products. There is a great quantity of agricultural exhibits in today and those who attended the Dathart fair say we have them bested in everything.

District Court will convene here on October 21st. We have just received this information from Chas. P. Downs, the District Clerk, and wish to call special attention to the date, as we understood it to be October 28th, and so published it last week.

Sherwood & Campbell just closed a \$4,500 deal in real estate. It

Good business house on Main street rents for \$50. \$4,500. it. LANGE & SISNEY.

Governor George Curry writes Col. T. W. Heman as a member of the invitation committee for the October Fair, that he will make every effort to be here on October 10th. The Governor expresses a strong desire to visit this section of the Territory and especially Tucumcari.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who have shown us many kindnesses in our late bereavement, the sickness and death of our baby, Norman Darsey.

Respectfully,
W. L. DARSEY,
MRS. W. L. DARSEY,

\$5.00 REWARD

For Mule or information leading to recovery of same. Is a Roan, 15½ hands high and 8 years old.

W. A. WILSON,
Dodson, N. M.

A ladies' one-way ticket from Tucumcari to Kansas City, Mo., may be had for \$5.00 by calling on TUCUMCARI TRADING CO., West Main Street.

160 acres of land, 3 miles of town. No. 1 soil, perfectly level, \$700. LANGE & SISNEY. It.